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This is responsive to the outstanding Office Action mailed 12/03/01, and identified as paper number 12. Reconsideration and allowance of this application is respectfully solicited in view of the following amendments and remarks.

AMENDMENTS

NE Please amend the case to include on a separate page the following "Abstract" as follows:

ABSTRACT

The invention shows a method for obtaining temporally spaced images of tissues, including blood vessels, to reveal blood flow abnormalities within those tissues and vessels.